

**Expert Review Panel  
Agenda  
October 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>, 2005  
8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
Harbor Steps Conference Center  
1301 First Avenue, Level A; Seattle**

**Thursday October 20<sup>th</sup>**

- 8:30 a.m. Welcome, Introductions, Review Agenda (*Meyer*)
- 8:40 Introductory Comments (*Joni Earl, Sound Transit; and Dave Dye, WSDOT*)
- 8:50 Sound Transit Activities Since Last Panel Meeting – Planning for ST2 (*Matsuoka*)
- ST2 Program Schedule
  - Regional planning process for ST2
  - Internal Sound Transit work team structure for ST2
- 9:20 Follow Up on Questions and Responses from April Panel Meeting
- Status of North Link (*Endlich*)
  - First Hill station decision (*Billen*)
  - Downtown Transit Tunnel Operations and Headways
- 10:20 Break
- 10:30 Continue on Follow-up Questions and Responses
- 10:45 Capital Cost Estimating Methodology (*Beal, Borst, Harbuck*)
- Presentation and Q & A
  - Comparison with Sound Move methodology and cost estimates (*Schachenmayr*)
- 12:15 p.m. Lunch Break
- 1:00 Briefing on I-90 Corridor High Capacity Transit Issue Papers

- Status of Sound Transit mode choice decision on I-90 Corridor (*Matsuoka*)
  - I-90 Load Test (*Tull, Clarke*)
  - I-90 corridor traffic study (*Bandy*)
- 2:00      Tour of I-90 Corridor (*Sound Transit*)
- Review Potential alignment
  - Discuss cost estimating and potential environmental issues
- 5:00      Identify Any Additional Issues for Friday Discussion
- 5:15      Adjourn

**Friday October 21<sup>st</sup>**

- 8:30 a.m.    Welcome and Review of Agenda (*Meyer*)
- 8:40      Project Evaluation Methodology (*Beal*)
- Presentation and Q & A
- 10:10      Break
- 10:25      Operations and Maintenance Cost Estimating Methodology
- Presentation and Q & A
- 11:30      Update on ST2 Travel Demand Modeling and Ridership Forecasting (*Harvey, Billen*)
- Presentation and Q & A
- 12:30      Lunch
- 1:30      ST2 Financial Modeling Methods - Forecasts by Subarea (*McCartan, Ikoku*)
- Presentation and Q & A
- 2:30      ST2 Preliminary Project Screening (*Tull, Chipps, Shelden*)
- Presentation and Q & A

- 3:30 Break
- 3:45 Continued Discussion of ST2 Preliminary Project Screen, or  
Other Issues Identified by Panel (*Sound Transit*)
- Presentation and Q & A
- 4:30 Summary of Outstanding Issues/Questions, Next Steps, Next  
Meeting Date (*Panel*)
- 5:00 Adjourn